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C O N F I D E N T I A L VALLETTA 2488

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, MT

SUBJ: LUFTHANSA HIJACKING

1. BRIT HICOMOFF HAS JUST INFORMED US THAT HIJACKED
LUFTHANSA AIRCRAFT EARLIER THIS MORNING WAS HEADED
TOWARDS TRIPOLI BUT THAT AS OF APPROXIMATELY 10:00
A.M. LOCAL, AIRCRAFT HAD TURNED TOWARDS THE EAST
AND WAS NEAR CYPRUS.

2. HE PROMISED KEEP US INFORMED AS HE RECEIVES REPORTS ON
PLANE'S WHEREABOUTS FROM RAF.TUCKER

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